

## STINGS LIKE A BEE

National Board of Trade Stirs Up Congress.

## MUCH NEEDED LEGISLATION

Inter-State Commerce, Immigration, Bankruptcy and Other Laws Require Amending—Want a Department

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The national board of trade at its meeting today took up the question of reorganization of the body. It was agreed finally to abolish the executive committee and to elect vice presidents at all present. This body, as an executive council, may appoint a small committee to carry out its duties.

On motion of Mr. Howe of Chicago, the propositions suggesting amendments to the inter-state commerce law recommended by the Cincinnati chamber of commerce, Chicago and New York boards of trade and St. Louis merchants' exchange, were referred to a committee consisting of one from each body proposing the change.

Action was taken with regard to the regulation of immigration. The proposition recommending the passage of the bill now pending in congress to register and protect trade marks was adopted. A lengthy debate was expected upon the consideration of the resolutions recommending the passage by congress of the Torrey bankruptcy bill, but a brief written argument by Mr. Janney of Philadelphia was all that was necessary to secure the prompt and unanimous passage of the resolution.

The following additional propositions were acted upon before the board took a recess for lunch: By the Philadelphia board of trade—Resolved, That the commercial and manufacturing interests of the country deserve equally, with those of agriculture, to receive the attention of the government, and that for this purpose a department of commerce and manufactures should be created without further delay. Adopted.

Amend Immigration Laws. By the Cincinnati chamber of commerce—Resolutions recommending uniform state laws governing the issuance of warehouse receipts and the delivery of goods reported by them. Adopted.

The New York board of trade and transportation offered a resolution recommending the passage of the tonnage bill, or some similar measure having for its object the fostering of the merchant marine. A long debate ensued, but the resolution was finally adopted, with all reference to the tonnage bill struck out and reading as follows: Resolved, That every legitimate means to foster our merchant marine engaged in foreign commerce should be adopted by congress.

At the afternoon session a resolution was adopted recommending that the immigration laws be amended so as to require from every immigrant a certificate that he, or she, is a person of good moral character, has never been convicted of crime, has never been a public charge and is of sufficient age and capable of taking care of himself or herself, such certificates to be countersigned by the nearest United States consul. A motion to lay it on the table was carried on a division by a vote of 34 to 28. The yeas and nays were called and under the delegate system the vote resulted yeas 60, nays 51.

**Senators Elected.** SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 18.—Stephen M. White, democrat of Los Angeles, was elected United States senator by the legislature in joint session today.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 18.—Senator Davis was sworn in today by the narrowest margin ever known in Minnesota politics. He had eighty-four votes without that of Hotter of Wright county and Hotter was miles away. At the roll call he stepped into the house when his vote was needed and voted for Davis, thus giving the necessary eighty-five votes.

**Stockbridge's Dinner.** WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Senator Stockbridge celebrated his election by an elaborate banquet tonight. Among the guests were Governor Sherman, Allison, Culbert, Hale, McMillan, Dawes, Morrill and twenty-five others. Julius Caesar Burrows was the only congressman present.

**His Lungs Gave Way.** BOSTON, Jan. 18.—Dr. O. C. Chiles of this city, who performed the autopsy upon the body of General Butler, says that death was caused by pulmonary apoplexy, chemically known as haemoptysis or hemorrhages from the mucous membrane of the lungs.

**Very Cheap Silver.** WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 18.—The treasury department today purchased 20,000 ounces as follows: 25,000 ounces at \$3.415; 25,000 at \$3.425; 30,000 at \$3.435; 35,000 at \$3.445; 40,000 at \$3.455. The silver purchased for the month aggregates 2,534,000 ounces.

**Could Not Decide.** OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 18.—The legislature, in joint session today, took five unsuccessful ballots for United States senator and then adjourned out of respect for the memory of ex-President Hayes.

**Governor Carr Sworn In.** RICHMOND, N. C., Jan. 18.—Governor Elias Carr and the other recently elected state officers were sworn in today.

**SEVENTEEN PERSONS INJURED.** Two trains filled with miners collided with fatal results.

TERRE HARBOR, Ind., Jan. 18.—A special train to the Express from Brazil, Ind., arrived at 7:30 o'clock this evening. A serious wreck occurred on the Terre Haute & Indianapolis railway, at Kingsville. The miners' train, carrying miners from this city to the various mines east of here, was standing on the side track waiting for the east bound passenger train to pass, when the passenger train in the Center Point division of the Terre Haute and Indianapolis line dashed across the curve and crashed into the miners' train with terrible force. Both trains were filled with miners and piled in one massive heap. Four cars with their human freight were thrown from

## HIS DEATH A SHOCK

Hayes' Passing a Great Surprise to Washington.

## HARRISON'S PROCLAMATION

Both Houses of Congress Adjourn as a Mark of Respect and the Government Mourns.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—Coming so soon after the sudden death of General Butler and the sad ending of Senator Kenna, the demise of ex-President Hayes created something of a shock to people in official life here. Flags are flying at half mast today on all public buildings in Washington.

President Harrison received the news of his predecessor's death this morning. Last night he telegraphed an inquiry to Webb Hayes concerning the condition of his father and about 10 o'clock the answer came that the ex-president was resting easily. When the president learned of the death of Mr. Hayes, he was much surprised in view of the encouraging information which he received last night.

President Harrison will not attend the funeral of Mr. Hayes, but he will probably send a representative to Fremont. A special meeting of the cabinet was held this afternoon, at which the following executive order was drafted and adopted:

To the people of the United States: The death of Rufus C. Hayes, who was president of the United States from March 4, 1877, to March 4, 1881, at his home in Fremont, Ohio, at 11 p. m. yesterday, is an event the announcement of which will be received with very general and very sincere sorrow. His public service extended over many years and over a wide range of official duty. He was a patriotic citizen, a lover of the flag and of our free institutions, an industrious and conscientious civil officer, a soldier of dauntless courage, a loyal comrade and friend, a sympathetic and helpful neighbor and the honored head of a happy christian home. He has steadily grown in the public esteem and the impartial historian will not fail to recognize the conscientiousness, the unselfishness and the courage that so strongly characterized his whole public career. As an expression of public sorrow, it is ordered that the executive mansion and the several executive departments at Washington be draped in mourning and the flags thereon placed at half mast for a period of thirty days, and that on the day of the funeral all public business in departments be suspended, and that suitable military and naval honors, under the orders of the secretaries of war and navy, be rendered on that day.

**Benjamin Harrison.** EXECUTIVE MANSION, Washington, January 18, 1893. By the President, J. W. FOSTER, Secretary of State.

The president expressed his regret that he would not be able to attend the funeral in person, but expressed a wish that he should be represented by some one of his cabinet. It was thereupon determined that Secretary Charles Foster of the treasury, Secretary Noble of the navy and Postmaster General Wamamaker should proceed to Fremont as the representatives of the president. The navy department has designated Captain J. M. and Commander Dickens and Honorable to represent it at the funeral of Mr. Hayes. They left for Fremont tonight.

The attorney general called the attention of the supreme court to the death of Mr. Hayes, who he stated, was a member of the court. The court adjourned for the day. The senate adjourned for the day. The house adjourned for the day.

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**Waiting, Only Waiting.** It was in the sweet summer time. They had been married but one short week and were down by the sea. For two days he had been wandering about aimlessly as one in a dream.

The shadow had fallen upon him, and its chill had touched the gentle heart of the fair, sweet bride. She had known no peace since the clammy touch of the shadow had fallen upon them both.

This morning he had gone out to a lonely place on the rocks overlooking the wide expanse of the silent sea. The cruel green waves came beating in upon the cold, gray rocks, and they seemed to be sounding his requiem.

Far off on the rolling waves a sail broke the horizon line, and his listless eyes followed it in its course. Here she found him wrapped in his reverie. She spoke to him, but he heeded her not.

His eyes were turned seaward, as if they would pierce the veil of distance and carry him on their wings to the unseen shore beyond. She touched him, and he started up, bewildered at the awakening.

"Oh, Harold," she moaned, "tell me what is the matter? We were so happy, and you know we were going to Europe on our bridal tour."

"Yes, yes," he murmured. "And we are going, Harold, darling!" she whispered.

His hand struck down upon his pockets hysterically, and once more he looked out upon the calm sea. "Yes, darling, yes," he answered, taking her to his breast; "just as soon as it gets dry enough for us to walk."

A limp and listless form hung in his arms. His lonely bride had fainted. Exchange.

**Wonderful Just the Same.** The drummer had finished an especially miraculous story of some of his personal experiences, and had stepped just outside the door of the smoking compartment where he could hear the comments of his fellow travelers.

"Goodness me," said an up country fellow, "what a wonderful man that chap is!" "Huh!" interjected a rival drummer, "nothing wonderful about him."

## JUST TO BE MEAN

Democratic Senators Swing the Minority in a Circle.

## BURT IS DOWN ON JUNKETS

At White Introduces a Bill to Make a New County to Be Known as Stockbridge.

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 18.—Democrats in the senate this afternoon to practice their tactics of having all the fun possible with the republican majority, and while thus clogging the legislative wheels, pose as public benefactors and martyrs. Today's row was begun by Senator Sabin's offering a concurrent resolution that when the senate adjourns Saturday the date for reconvening be January 30 that the committee might visit the state institutions.

Wellington R. Burt tried to make the senate believe the prison boards were non-partisan. Senator McGinley said the rights of the minority ought to be respected. Senator Turnbull moved to refer the resolution to the committee on state affairs. Senator Sabin took the floor to defend his resolution. The squabbling legislature had made the boards intensely and offensively democratic. It was the duty of the republicans to investigate the work done by these boards. Senator McGinley very pertinently inquired if the senator from Secaucus allowed his own business affairs to go to two years without personal supervision or investigation. After a little more banter from Senator Hopkins, Senator Turnbull withdrew his motion to refer to a committee of five members from the house be appointed to visit the institutions. Senator Morrow opposed such an action.

The previous question was called for and Senator Turnbull's substitute was lost by a vote of 20 to 6, several of the democratic members remaining silent. The substitute of Senator Hopkins was then adopted by a vote of 22 to 6. Senator Barnard was the only republican who had the backbone to vote against it.

**Those Railroad Passes.** Senator Clapp then offered a resolution that the committee on railroads be instructed to report back to the senate the anti-pass resolution in its hands, at the earliest possible moment. After some discussion the resolution prevailed by a vote of 22 to 6. Senators Gibson and Hopkins refused to go on record by voting on the resolution. The action of the senate in adopting the amendment of Senator Hopkins is regarded with indignation by many of the republican members of the house as it was intended that the preamble should offset the slur on the republicans mediated by the democratic caucus resolution offered in the house by Tom Barkworth, censuring the appointment of junketing committees as wasteful extravagance. It is opined that when the resolution is communicated by the senate tomorrow Senator Sabin's original resolution will be offered as a substitute, adopted and referred back to the senate. Speaker Burton occupied a chair on the lieutenant governor's platform, during most of the senate debate, by special invitation.

**The Senate Bill.** Among the bills noticed in the senate this afternoon was Senator McGinley's bill to fix the fare to be charged by all street railway companies at 3 cents for each and every passenger and to amend city charters in conformity therewith. Senator McGinley is anxious to go on record as a P. of I. He noticed a bill today making it unlawful for any individual or member of any firm or agent, officer or employee of any corporation to prevent or attempt to prevent employees from forming, joining and belonging to any lawful labor organization, providing a penalty for coercing, attempting to coerce, discharging or threatening to discharge them for the same.

At the morning session of the senate resolutions in memory of the late ex-Governor Baldwin were read and adopted.

Senator Pierce presented a joint resolution for the appointment of a committee to consist of two members each from the senate and house to draft resolutions on the death of ex-President Hayes.

A joint convention of the house and senate was held at noon today at which the lieutenant governor presided, and officially announced the election of Francis B. Stockbridge to succeed him in Michigan for six years. A telegram of thanks to the legislature from Senator Stockbridge was read and applauded.

**Stockbridge County.** The work of the house was mostly in the line of ratification today. At White gave notice of a bill to organize the county of Stockbridge. It will, if passed, take off a good slice from the northern end of Kent county, and Cedar Springs will be the county seat of the new county.

There is a growing political in the death of Mr. White to the correspondent for THE HERALD. "Such a bill was introduced into the house twenty years ago. It is to take eight towns from the northern part of Kent and four each from Newaygo and Montcalm counties, making a new county of sixteen towns, which will be republican. It would, of course, be the means of losing one representative for Kent county."

Representative Sullivan noticed a bill making Labor day a legal holiday. Representative Anderson noticed a bill to put national building and loan and associations under the supervision of the commissioner of banking. A bill to regulate the payment of fees to the clerk of Kent county has been introduced in both the house and senate. It is present hung up in committee.

Yesterday Representative Fitch of Sparta introduced a similar bill, and asked that it be placed on its immediate passage. It shared the common fate, however, and went to a committee.

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**Millions for the Soo.** WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The appropriation committee made public at 2 o'clock this afternoon the appropriation for public works. They have killed the \$15,000 for the Marine hospital at Detroit, the Sault Ste. Marie river gets \$2,000,000 and Ray lake channel \$500,000. The deep water channel gets \$1,000,000. Even other Michigan river and harbor project is killed.

**John Sharp Succides.** ALBANY, Mich., Jan. 18.—John Sharp, a well-to-do farmer, was found dead this morning. He had taken morphine probably with suicidal intent. He was a widower, about 60 years old, and had no children. He lived with his nephew. His wife died about a year ago.

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**Jones Talks Silver.** LONDON, Jan. 18.—Senator Jones and his family will start for Paris tomorrow, and after a brief visit to that city will sail for America Saturday. Senator Jones has been visited while here by numerous members of the house of commons and by other public men interested in the silver question.

**Escorted to the Frontier.** PARIS, Jan. 18.—M. Selker, the American newspaper correspondent, whose expulsion from France was ordered by the government, was escorted to the frontier by two policemen today.

**Tough on Victoria.** MELBOURNE, Jan. 16.—By a vote of 45 to 42 the Victorian parliament today declared its want of confidence in the government.

**Stuck by Dempsey.** PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 18.—Hugh E. Dempsey was unanimously re-elected district attorney of Allegheny county at the election of the grand jury. Resolutions were adopted expressing confidence in Mr. Dempsey that the charges brought against him for complicity in the alleged Homestead poisoning were untrue.

**Dakota Bank Fails.** YAKESVILLE, S. D., Jan. 18.—The banking house of George E. Scougal & Co. of this city passed into the hands of J. J. Graven this afternoon by an assignment executed by Mrs. M. E. Scougal, widow of the head of the bank who died on Saturday, and W. S. Scougal, a partner in the business.

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**Noble Lord Dead.** LONDON, Jan. 18.—Lord Elphinstone died today in Musselburgh, Scotland. William Balfour Elphinstone was born in 1828. He was captain in the royal navy, served in the Baltic and Royal seas in 1854, in China, the East and West Indies and the Pacific. He retired from the navy in 187